

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A crystal oscillator device comprising:
a crystal resonator having a plate-shaped resonator package; and
a plate-shaped circuit board having an oscillator circuit, the resonator package being supported above the circuit board such that the resonator package is substantially parallel to the circuit board; and
supporting members which support the resonator package, the supporting members being arranged on a straight line on the bottom surface of the resonator package.
2. A crystal oscillator device according to Claim 1, wherein the resonator package has a substantially rectangular-plate shape and includes a first side and a second side which oppose each other on the bottom surface of the resonator package, and the straight line on which the supporting members are arranged is along and near the first side.
3. A crystal oscillator device according to Claim 1, wherein the resonator package has a substantially rectangular-plate shape and includes two opposing sides on the bottom surface of the resonator package, and the straight line on which the supporting members are arranged is a diagonal line of the bottom surface of the resonator package.
4. A crystal oscillator device according to Claim 1, wherein the resonator package has a substantially rectangular-plate shape and includes two opposing sides on the bottom surface of the resonator package, and the straight line on which the supporting members are arranged is a line between the two opposing sides.
5. A crystal oscillator device according to Claim 1, wherein the crystal resonator includes a plate-shaped crystal blank which is retained in the resonator package in a cantilever manner such that the crystal blank is substantially parallel to the

resonator package, the crystal blank being retained at retaining positions on a straight line which is substantially parallel to the major surfaces resonator package, and the straight line on which the supporting members are arranged and a straight line obtained by projecting the straight line which passes through the retaining positions of the crystal blank onto the bottom surface of the resonator package are different from each other.

6. A crystal oscillator device according to Claim 5, wherein the straight line on which the supporting members are arranged and a straight line obtained by projecting the straight line which passes through the retaining positions of the crystal blank onto the bottom surface of the resonator package are substantially parallel to each other.

7. A crystal oscillator device according to Claim 2, wherein the crystal resonator includes a plate-shaped crystal blank which is retained in the resonator package in a cantilever manner such that the crystal blank is substantially parallel to the resonator package, the crystal blank being retained at retaining positions on a straight line which is parallel to the major surfaces of the resonator package, and a straight line obtained by projecting the straight line which passes through the retaining positions of the crystal blank onto the bottom surface of the resonator package is along and near the second side of the bottom surface of the resonator package.

8. A crystal oscillator device according to Claim 2, wherein and the straight line on which the supporting members are arranged extends in a direction that is substantially parallel to the first side.

9. An electronic apparatus comprising a crystal oscillator device according to Claim 1.